

Pending Claims

1. (Previously Presented) A method carried out at a fixed wireless device, the method comprising:

comparing a registered location of the fixed wireless device to a current location of the fixed wireless device, wherein the registered location is stored at the fixed wireless device and comprises information indicating a customer premises where the fixed wireless device is located;

responsively activating an alert at the fixed wireless device if the registered location of the fixed wireless device does not match the current location of the fixed wireless device;

after activating the alert, at an interface of the fixed wireless device, receiving location information for changing the registered location stored at the fixed wireless device to match the current location of the fixed wireless device; and

changing the registered location stored at the fixed wireless device to match the current location of the fixed wireless device.

2-3. (Cancelled)

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the alert comprises a visual alert.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the alert comprises an audible alert.

6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein activating the alert comprises displaying a message to a user.

7-8 (Cancelled)

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the alert comprises a vibratory alert.

10-21 (Cancelled)

22. (Currently amended) A wireless local loop hub comprising:
data storage for storing a registered location of the wireless local loop hub, wherein the registered location comprises stored information indicating a customer premises where the wireless local loop hub is located;
an alert mechanism;
location-determining logic arranged to determine a current location of the wireless local loop hub;
comparator logic arranged to make a determination that the current location of the wireless local loop hub does not match the registered location of the wireless local loop hub;
alert logic arranged to invoke the alert mechanism so as to provide an alert at the wireless local loop hub in response to the determination that the current location of the wireless local loop hub does not match the registered location of the wireless local loop hub; and

an interface to receive location information for changing the registered location stored at the wireless local loop hub to match the current location of the wireless local loop hub, wherein the location information is received at the interface after the alert mechanism is invoked to provide the alert.

23. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 6, wherein displaying the message to the user comprises displaying the message on a liquid crystal display.

24-27 (Cancelled)

28. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 22, further comprising:

a processor, wherein the location-determining logic, the alert logic, and the comparator logic comprise machine language instructions executable by the processor.

29. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 22, wherein the alert comprises a visual alert.

30. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 29, wherein the alert logic provides the visual alert by lighting a light emitting diode.

31. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 29, wherein the alert logic provides the visual alert by displaying a text message visible on a display.

32. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 22, wherein the alert comprises an audible alert.

33. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 22, wherein the alert comprises a message to a user.

34. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 33, wherein the alert device comprises a liquid crystal display to provide the alert by displaying the message.

35. (Previously Presented) The wireless local loop hub of claim 22, wherein the customer premises includes an alternating current outlet and customer premises equipment connectable to the fixed wireless device, and wherein the fixed wireless device receives power from the alternating current outlet.

36. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising: determining the current location of the fixed wireless device.

37. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising: comparing the changed registered location to the current location and responsively disabling the alert if the changed registered location matches the current location.